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TO : Chief, Plans and Policies Staff, ORE

DATE: 26 January 1949

FROM : Assistant Director, OSI

SUBJECT:

1. Reference query G-2 on IN <sup>IN</sup>106, estimates 5,000 to 6,000 tons GA captured by Russians, based on following:

- a. Total German GA production - 14,000 tons.
- b. Captured by Western Allies - 70,000, 500 lb. bombs, each with 250 lbs. (approximately) GA, Total - 8750 tons.
- c. 14,000 minus 8750 equals 5250 tons captured by the USSR of finished GA.

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